

# Marshall County Board of Health

Marshall County: Becoming the healthiest county in the State of Iowa

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## AGENDA

Marshall County Board of Health

March 9, 2021, 10:00 a.m.

### ZOOM Meeting Information Below

#### STATEMENT BY CHAIR REGARDING ELECTRONIC MEETING PURSUANT TO IOWA CODE 21.8

This open meeting is being held electronically pursuant to Iowa Code section 21.8 due to the current circumstances of the COVID-19 pandemic and social distancing where an in-person meeting is impossible or impractical for committee members and for the safety of the public.

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Recognition of guests
4. Kylie Mitchell, American Lung Association
5. Approval of minutes
6. Reports
  - a. Environmental Health Report – Todd Apfel
  - b. Emergency Management Agency Report – Kim Elder
  - c. Public Health Report – Pat Thompson
    - 1) Public Health Preparedness
    - 2) Public Health COVID-19 Response
      - a. COVID-19 Vaccination Discussion
    - 3) Modernization of Public Health
    - 4) Financial Report
7. Unfinished Business
8. New Business
9. Next meeting date: May 11, 2021, at 10:00 a.m., per ZOOM
10. Adjournment

**Marshall County**

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**ZOOM information is below:**

Kimberly Elder is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Regular Marshall County Board of Health Meeting  
Time: Mar 9, 2021 10:00 AM Central Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting  
<https://zoom.us/j/96962359154>

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**Marshall County Board of Health**  
**January 12, 2021, 10:00 a.m.**  
**ZOOM Meeting**

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CODE 21.8**

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Present: Dr. Lyons, Dr. K. Metzger, Jim Goodman, Kim Elder

Staff: Pat Thompson

Guests: Heather Bombei, Lynne Carroll, Dave Thompson

<b>Topic:</b>	<b>Discussion:</b>	<b>Action:</b>
Call to Order	The Marshall County Board of Health meeting was called to order at 9:59 a.m. by Dr. Lyons	
Introduction of guests	Dr. Lyons welcomed all guests.	
Minutes	Minutes of December 8, 2020, approved. Kim/Jim/No abstentions/Unanimous	Filed.
<b>Reports</b>		
Environmental Health	Report for November and December, 2020, emailed.	Filed with minutes.
Emergency Management Agency	Kim reported on Emergency Management Agency activities with COVID-19, including Emergency Management Services in the County.	Informational.
<b>Public Health Activities</b>		
Communicable Disease	No report.	
Public Health Activities Report	No report.	
Community Health Needs Assessment & Health Improvement Plan	<b>No report.</b> <b>Promote Healthy Living:</b> B/P clinics in county, education on healthy living, flu vaccine, etc., utilizing various media. <b>Prevent Injuries &amp; Violence, Crisis Care:</b> Mental health services in ED through telehealth, work of CICS (Central Iowa Community Services) in assisting clients, 24 hours crisis line and mobile crisis services. MCSD implementing new social	Informational.

	<p>emotional learning system with focus on mental health.</p> <p><b>Protect Against Environmental Hazards:</b> American Lung Association – tobacco use prevention. Environmental health inspects tanning, tattoo parlors and pools.</p> <p><b>Prevent Epidemics &amp; the Spread of Disease:</b> Adolescent Sexual Health (ASH) meeting, CAPS has grant to educate in schools. PH investigates communicable disease as directed by IDPH. TB Control by PH.</p> <p><b>Prepare for, Respond to, &amp; Recover from Public Health Emergencies:</b> Strengthen the Health Infrastructure, PHEP and EMA representation at Service Area meetings. Stop the Bleed program education and supplies. Point of Distribution (POD) capability. 24/7 coverage by PH.</p> <p><b>Strengthen the Health Infrastructure:</b> Access to care all populations. Interpreter services through PH, patient financial coordinators, certified application counselors through local hospital.</p>	
Preparedness Report	Pat reported on preparedness activities, including CARES Act funding for COVID-19 response.	Informational.
Public Health COVID-19 Response	Pat reported on COVID-19 response in Marshall County, including public education, vaccine distribution activities, and expected limitations in distribution related to vaccine availability.	Informational.
<b>Financial Report</b>		
	Grant 65% spent.	Filed with minutes.
<b>Unfinished Business</b>		
<b>New Business</b>		

New BOH Member Oath of Office	Jim Goodman took oath of office by Dave Thompson.	Informational.
Appoint Board Officers	Motion to continue current slate of officers in 2021 approved. Jim/Kim/No abstentions/Unanimous.	Informational.
Board Members Code of Ethics	Form will sent to Board members.	Pat will obtain signatures and obtain forms.
NIMS Document	Kim explained purpose and roles of National Information Management System (NIMS). NIMS document approved. Jim/Kim/No abstentions/Unanimous.	Pat to submit form and facilitate FEMA education needed.
<b>Next Meeting</b>		
	Tuesday, March 9, 2021, at 10:00 a.m. per ZOOM.	
<b>Adjournment</b>		
	Meeting adjourned at 11:01.	

Respectfully submitted,  
Kimberly Elder, Secretary

Prepared by:  
Pat Thompson, BSN, R.N.  
Marshall County Public Health Director



Public Health Activities July, 2020 - June, 2021	July	August	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	Total
COVID-19 Contact Tracing County Schools		31											31
Disease Follow-Up Cases	8	4	2	0	0	0	0	1					
School Audit (# of cards audited)													
Direct Observed Therapy (DOT) # visits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Clinic Immunizations (# adults)	0	0											
Hep B					1								
Hep A													
Tdap													
Shingrix													
Pneumovax 13													
Pneumovax 23													
Flu Vaccine			110	112									
TB Test	1	1		2			2						
TB Med	3	5	2	7	5	6	3						
B/P # taken in B/P Clinics	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Immun Clinic All Children (VFC) #children	1	3											
Immun Clinic All Children (VFC) # given	1	6	28	48	14	7	2						
Collaborative Relationships (Hours)	0	0	0	1	2	0	1						
Group Teaching (Health Ed) (Hours)	8	9.5	5	7.5	6	1.5	5.5						

# Marshall County

JANUARY 21, 2016

## COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSMENT SNAPSHOT



### Promote Healthy Living

Priority #1 Chronic disease *CPK, chronic disease - diabetes, CHF, hypertension, mental health, substance abuse, Jill Eaton - CTEC - Central Iowa Comm. Serv.*



### Prevent Injuries & Violence

Priority #1 Crisis Care *mental health, fall prevention NE Iowa Area Agency on Aging fall prevention*



### Protect Against Environmental Hazards

Priority #1 Tobacco/Nicotine *American Lung Assoc - Tobacco Grant in Marshall Co.*



### Prevent Epidemics & the Spread of Disease

Priority #1 Sexual Health/STD *CAPS - Adolescent Sexual Health Coalition, PHC has Title X grant*



### Prepare for, Respond to, & Recover from Public Health Emergencies

Priority #1 Individual preparedness in all populations. *IB Service Area (for preparedness) Response Coalition Health Care Coalition*



### Strengthen the Health Infrastructure

Priority #1 Access to care all populations *Interpreter Services available. Patient Financial Coordinators, Certified Application Counselors*



### 3 Core Functions and 10 Essential Services

#### **Assessment:**

- Monitor health status of the community to identify community health problems.
- Diagnose and investigate health problems and health hazards in the community.
- Evaluate effectiveness, accessibility, and quality of personal, population-based, and environmental health services.

#### **Policy Development:**

- Develop policies and plans that support individual and community health efforts.
- Research for new insights and innovative solutions to health problems.
- Enforce laws and regulations that protect public health and enforce lawful orders of the department.

#### **Assurance:**

- Link people to needed personal health services and assure provision of health care when otherwise unavailable.
- Assure a competent public health and personal health care workforce.
- Inform, educate and empower people about health issues.
- Mobilize community partnerships to identify and solve problems.



### Grant Details

#### Grant/Project: 5881CO64 - FY21 LPHS Marshall - 2021

**Status:** Underway  
**Program Area:** Local Public Health Services  
**Grantee Organization:** Marshall County Board of Health  
**Program Officer:** Diane M Anderson  
**Awarded Amount:** \$101,356.00

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### Claims

ID	Status	Submitted	Paid	From-To	Claim Amount
5881CO64 - 001	Paid	08/24/2020	09/21/2020	07/01/2020 - 07/31/2020	\$11,748.16
5881CO64 - 002	Paid	09/02/2020	10/16/2020	08/01/2020 - 08/31/2020	\$10,609.15
5881CO64 - 003	Paid	10/03/2020	11/12/2020	09/01/2020 - 09/30/2020	\$11,510.95
5881CO64 - 004	Paid	11/11/2020	12/16/2020	10/01/2020 - 10/31/2020	\$18,552.38
5881CO64 - 005	Paid	12/15/2020	01/14/2021	11/01/2020 - 11/30/2020	\$974.90
5881CO64 - 006	Paid	01/10/2021	01/14/2021	12/01/2020 - 12/31/2020	\$10,898.21
5881CO64 - 007	Paid	02/20/2021	02/25/2021	01/01/2021 - 01/31/2021	\$17,126.50
				Submitted Amount	\$0.00
				Approved Amount	\$0.00
				Paid Total	\$81,420.25
				Total	\$81,420.25



# WHEN WILL I GET A COVID-19 VACCINATION?

## Vaccine Distribution to Priority Populations

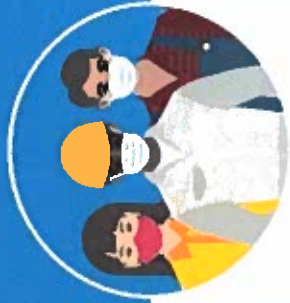
### PHASE 1B - IN ORDER OF PRIORITY

Persons aged 65 and older are eligible for the vaccine during any tier.



#### TIER 1

- First responders (e.g., firefighters, police officers, and child welfare social workers)
- PK-12 school staff, early childhood education, and childcare workers



#### TIER 2

- Food, agriculture, distribution and manufacturing workers who work in or live in congregate settings that do not allow for social distancing
- Individuals with disabilities living in home settings and their direct care staff



#### TIER 3

- Staff of and individuals living in congregate settings (does not include college dormitories)
- Government officials, to ensure continuity of government including staff, engaged in state business at the Iowa Capitol during the legislative session



#### TIER 4

- Inspectors responsible for hospital, long-term care, and child safety



#### TIER 5

- Correctional facility staff and individuals incarcerated

### PHASE 1B BEGINS FEBRUARY 2021

*Timelines are estimated as of January 2021 and are subject to change.*

BEFORE THE IOWA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

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**AMENDED PHASE 1-B SUPPLEMENTAL  
VACCINE SHORTAGE ORDER**

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Pursuant to the authority contained in Iowa Code sections 135.11(1), 135.144(3), and 139A.8A, the Iowa Department of Public Health (IDPH) hereby issues the following amended 1-B Supplemental Vaccine Shortage Order (Order):

**Effective date of Order:** This Order is effective March 8, 2021, and shall remain in effect until rescinded or modified by IDPH.

**Individuals, facilities, and other entities covered by this Order:** All Iowa licensed health care providers, hospitals, clinics, pharmacies, local boards of health, and public health agencies; and any person licensed, certified, or otherwise authorized or permitted by the laws of the state of Iowa or Gubernatorial Proclamations of Disaster Emergency issued on or after March 9, 2020, to administer vaccinations are covered by this Order. All healthcare providers, facilities, and entities which receive and administer COVID-19 vaccines in Iowa are required to complete the CDC COVID-19 Vaccination Program Provider Agreement.

**Compliance with CDC Guidance:** The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has issued COVID-19 vaccine distribution guidance which directs jurisdictions to plan for a three-phased approach to vaccine distribution. See COVID-19 Vaccination Program Interim Playbook for Jurisdictional Operations issued September 16, 2020, amended October 29, 2020. This Order shall be applicable during Phase One of the guidance, defined as that period of time in which a limited supply of COVID-19 vaccine doses is available.

**Conditions of Order:** Due to the expected phased approach to administering COVID-19 vaccine and the limited number of doses available in the State of Iowa during Phase One, you are hereby ordered to immediately comply with the following directives to protect the public health and prevent and control the spread of COVID-19.

1) You shall ONLY administer COVID-19 vaccine to individuals included in Priority Designation Phases 1-A and 1-B including:

- a. Phase 1-A.
  - i. Healthcare Personnel. Paid and unpaid people serving in health care settings who have the potential for direct or indirect exposure to patients or infectious materials and are unable to work remotely.
  - ii. Long Term Care Facility (LTCF) residents. Adults who reside in a residential care facility, nursing facility, skilled nursing facility, assisted living program, or elder group home.

**b. Phase 1-B.**

- i. Persons aged 65 years and over or individuals 64 years of age and younger that are or might be at an increased risk of severe illness from COVID-19 due to medical conditions listed at <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/need-extra-precautions/people-with-medical-conditions.html>.**
- ii. The following populations vulnerable to high risk of exposure or severity of illness:**
  - a) Tier 1:**
    - 1. First responders (e.g., firefighters, police officers, and child welfare social workers).**
    - 2. PK-12 school staff, early childhood education, and childcare workers.**
  - b) Tier 2:**
    - 1. Individuals with disabilities living in home settings that are dependent on attendant care staff, and their attendant care staff, if not otherwise vaccinated under Phase 1-A.**
    - 2. Frontline essential workers in the food, agricultural, distribution, and manufacturing sectors who work in or live in congregate settings that do not allow for social distancing such as workers in a meatpacking or manufacturing production line or migrant workers who live in bunkroom-style housing**
  - c) Tier 3:**
    - 1. Staff of and individuals living in congregate settings not covered by sections "a" and "b", including shelters, sober living homes, behavioral health treatment centers, and detention centers. Individuals residing in college dormitories shall not be included as part of Phase 1-B.**
    - 2. Government officials, including staff, to ensure continuity of government, engaged in state business at the Iowa Capitol during the legislative session**
  - d) Tier 4:**
    - 1. Inspectors responsible for health, life and safety, including those in hospital and long-term care settings, child, and food production safety.**
  - e) Tier 5:**
    - 1. Correctional facility staff and individuals incarcerated, including state, county, and city operated facilities.**

**2) Phase 1-A was activated on December 14, 2020. Phase 1-B populations identified in subsections (1)(b)(i) and (1)(b)(ii) of this order was activated on February 1, 2021 and as amended on March 8, 2021. For populations identified in subsection (1)(b)(ii), a vaccine provider shall prioritize populations by tier, commencing with Tier 1. A vaccine provider shall have flexibility to administer vaccines to populations in subsequent tiers, if the provider has made reasonable efforts to reach populations in the previous tier(s) and Phases.**

IDPH shall conduct periodic reviews of vaccine characteristics, vaccine supply, vaccine demand, the disease epidemiology of the COVID-19 pandemic, and local community factors. Based on these reviews, IDPH will periodically reassess when to expand vaccination to other priority populations as supply increases, demand changes, or information on the epidemiology and impact of the pandemic changes. IDPH will communicate each expansion of priority populations through:

- a. A Supplemental Vaccine Shortage Order that shall be posted on its website,
- b. Vaccine Allocation Instructions that are issued with each allocation to local public health agencies, and
- c. an alert on the Iowa Health Alert Network (HAN).

3) You shall only vaccinate persons who are included in priority designation Phases 1-A and 1 - B have been activated by IDPH, and in accordance with the Vaccine Allocation Instructions issued to local public health agencies. You are prohibited from vaccinating any person who is not included in priority designation Phase 1-A and Phase 1-B subject to the following two exceptions:

- a. A vaccine provider who has vaccine supply remaining after that county's Phase 1-A population has been fully vaccinated may immediately provide the vaccine for individuals in Phase 1-B.
- c. Residual vaccine from vials that would otherwise have to be discarded may be used to vaccinate a person who is included in a phase that has not yet been activated only if necessary to avoid vaccine waste.

4) If you have additional doses of vaccine following vaccination of all persons included in a priority designation which has been activated by IDPH, you may transfer such doses to another approved COVID-19 vaccine provider only after receiving approval from IDPH. You must submit a COVID-19 Vaccine Redistribution Form to IDPH and receive approval of such request prior to transfer of COVID-19 Vaccine. IDPH will review each vaccine transfer request within 24 hours and notify providers if the transfer request has been approved.

5) You shall cooperate with the Iowa Department of Public Health and local boards of health or health departments to assess and monitor vaccine supply and coordinate the vaccination of persons in priority designations.

6) You shall cooperate with the Iowa Department of Public Health and local boards of health and health departments to redistribute the vaccine as needed in order to protect those at highest risk of contracting COVID-19.

7) You shall prominently post this Order in locations where COVID-19 vaccine is administered.

Immunity: Iowa law provides that a health care provider, hospital, clinic, pharmacy, health care facility, local board of health, public health agency, or other person or entity

that distributes or administers vaccines shall not be civilly liable in any action based on a failure or refusal to distribute or administer a vaccine to any person if the failure or refusal to distribute or administer the vaccine was consistent with the terms of this Order. Iowa Code section 139A.8A(2).

Iowa law also contains immunity provisions protecting persons, corporations, and other legal entities, and employees and agents of such persons, corporations, and other legal entities who provide medical care or assistance in good faith under the direction of the Department of Public Health during a public health disaster. Iowa Code § 135.147.

A health care provider, hospital, health care facility, and any other person, corporation, or other legal entity or employee of all such entities acting in good faith compliance with this Order is acting at the request of and under the direction of the Iowa Department of Public Health for purposes of the immunity provisions of Iowa Code section 135.147.

Violation of Order: Pursuant to Iowa Code section 139A.25, an individual who violates this Order may be subject to criminal prosecution.

In addition, health care providers who violate this Order may be referred to the appropriate professional licensing board for investigation and possible disciplinary action.

Executed by:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kelly Ancian". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Interim Director  
Iowa Department of Public Health

Issue Date: March 4, 2021  
Effective Date: March 8, 2021